

RESIDENTIAL BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

DECISIONS

Wednesday, June 18, 2014

1:30 PM

1000 Throckmorton
City Council Chamber
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Fort Worth, Texas 76102
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- I. 12:30 P.M LUNCH/WORK SESSION Pre-Council Chamber
 - A. Review of Cases on Today's Agenda
 - B. Additional Duties Assigned by City Council
- II. 1:30 P.M. PUBLIC HEARING Council Chamber
- A. Approval of Minutes of May 21, 2014 Hearing, with corrections APPROVED (6-0-2) to BAR-14-058 stipulating a time limit of 5 years
- **B. Translation Cases**
- 1. BAR-14-092 <u>Isabel & Maria Flores</u>

2321 Emily Drive

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a carport that encroaches five feet into a five-foot side yard setback, creating a zero-foot setback.

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2. BAR-14-094 Lilia Vitolas

2124, 2128, 2132 May Street

a. Request a **SPECIAL EXCEPTION** in an "A-5" One-Family District and "B" Two-Family District to permit the construction of a 5-foot open-design fence in the front yard.

APPROVED "a" (7 – 1)

b. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District and "B" Two-Family District to permit the construction of an open-design fence approximately 8 feet in height, excessive by 3 feet, in the front vard.

DENIED "b" (8 – 0)

3. BAR-14-096

Alma Manjarrez by Jorge Manjarrez

2728 Meadowbrook Drive

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in a "B" Two-Family District to permit the continued use of a driveway covering 100 % of the front yard, where 50% coverage is allowed, excessive by 50%.

MOTION TO APPROVED FAILED FOR LACK OF SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES (0-8)

4. BAR-14-100

Enrique & Griselda Armendariz

832 Holden Street

- a. Request a **SPECIAL EXCEPTION** under the "A-5" One-Family District regulations to permit the construction of a front yard carport where none is allowed. **STIPULATING THAT THE CARPORT DOES NOT EXTEND MORE THAN FOUR FEET IN FRONT OF THE HOUSE.**
- b. Request a **VARIANCE** under the "A-5" One-Family District regulations to permit the construction of a carport that would encroach approximately 5 feet into the 5-foot side yard setback, creating a 0-foot side yard setback.

APPROVED (8 - 0)

B. Continued Cases



5. **BAR-14-062** Sylvia Pinneda 6437 Malvey Avenue

a. Request a **SPECIAL EXCEPTION** in an "A-7.5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a 5-foot open-design fence in the northeastern portion of the front yard.

MOTION TO APPROVED FAILED FOR LACK OF SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES (0-8)

6. BAR-14-074R Cindy Turner 840 Claycourt Circle

- a. Request a **SPECIAL EXCEPTION** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a 4-foot wood screening fence in the projected front yard from an adjacent lot.
- b. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One Family District to permit the construction of a fence 6 feet in height, excessive by 2 feet in the projected front yard from an adjacent lot.

APPROVED (8-0)

7. BAR-14-075 Larry & Min Stone 1412 N. Riverside Drive

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-7.5" One-Family District to permit the construction of an approximately 22-foot tall habitable accessory structure that is taller than the primary structure.

MOTION TO APPROVED FAILED FOR LACK OF SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES (3 – 4 – 1)

8. BAR-14-078 Tim Allen Holding, LP 2700 Gordon Avenue

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a residence that would encroach approximately 5 feet into the 10-foot side yard setback, creating a 5-foot side yard setback.

MOTION TO APPROVED FAILED FOR LACK OF SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES (0 - 8)

9. BAR-14-090 Mark & Julie Anderson 4025 Harlanwood Drive

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a new residence with a 25-foot front yard setback, where a 33-foot setback is required, deficient by 8 feet.

MOTION TO APPROVED FAILED FOR LACK OF SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES as REQUEST WAS NOT NEEDED (2-6)

b. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a new residence with a 25-foot projected front yard setback, where a 36-foot setback is required, deficient by 11 feet.

APPROVED (8 - 0)

D. New Cases



Beth Knight

10. BAR-14-091 Larry & Patti Brogdon by Rob Baldwin

7928 Summit Cove

- a. Request a **SPECIAL EXCEPTION** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a 5 foot open-design fence in the front yard.
- b. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of an open-design fence 6 feet 6 inches in height, excessive by 1 foot 6 inches in the front yard.
- c. Request a **SPECIAL EXCEPTION** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a 4 foot solid fence in the front yard.
- d. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of a solid fence 6 feet in height, excessive by 2 feet in the front yard.

APPROVED (8 - 0)

11. **BAR-14-093**

John & Linda Murphy

3761 Regency Circle

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One Family District to permit the continued use of a wood screening fence ten (10) feet in height, excessive by two (2) feet, on the side yard.

CONTINUED TO JULY 16, 2014 (8 - 0)

12. BAR-14-095

James Connelly

6758 Works Street

- a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the continued use of storage buildings which are secondary structures without an existing primary structure.
- b. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the permanent placement of a shipping container where a maximum of 30 days is allowed.

MOTION TO APPROVED FAILED FOR LACK OF SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES (0 - 7)



13. BAR-14-097 <u>David Weekly Homes by Bureau Veritas NA</u>

3778 W. 5th Street

a. Request a **VARIANCE** under the "A-5" One-Family requirements to permit the construction of a single family dwelling that covers approximately 54 percent of the lot, where 50 percent is allowed, excessive by 4 percent.

MOTION TO APPROVED FAILED FOR LACK OF SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES (1 - 6)

14. BAR-14-098 Patrick Anderson

7712 Lake Highlands Drive

- a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the continued use of a 16-foot tall storage shed, where 12-foot tall structures are allowed, and waiving the additional setback for accessory structures over 10 feet tall.
- b. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the continued use of a storage shed that encroaches 2 feet 6 inches into a 5-foot side yard setback, creating a 2 foot 6 inch setback.
- c. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the continued use of a storage shed that encroaches 2 feet 6 inches into a 5-foot rear yard setback, creating a 2 foot 6 inch setback.

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15. BAR-14-099 Donald C Reynolds by Paper Kites Studio

4204 Ridgehaven Court

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-43" One-Family District to permit the construction of a cabana that would encroach approximately 12 feet into a 25-foot side yard setback, creating a an approximate 13-foot setback.

APPROVED (7 - 0)

16. **BAR-14-101 Dee Finley, Jr**

2412 Medford Court East

a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One-Family District to permit the construction of porte cochere that would encroach approximately 4 feet 6 inches into the 5-foot side yard setback, creating a 6 inch side yard setback.

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17. BAR-14-102 Jerry Pierce

2115 N. Edgewood Terrace

- a. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-10" One-Family District to permit the continued use of secondary structures without an existing primary structure.
- b. Request a **SPECIAL EXCEPTION** in an "A-10" One-Family District to permit the construction of a 4-foot wood screening fence in the front yard.
- c. Request a **VARIANCE** in an "A-5" One Family District to permit the construction of a fence 8 feet in height, excessive by 4 feet in the front yard.

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III. ADJOURNMENT: 5:20 PM

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Executive Session.

A closed Executive Session may be held with respect to any posted agenda item to enable the Commission to receive advice from legal counsel, pursuant to Texas Government Code, Section 551.071.